

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: MATSUKI, Keisuke

Group Art Unit: 3725

Serial No.: 10/614,237

Examiner: E. T. Tolan

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HIGH-STRENGTH STAINLESS STEEL BOLT AND METHOD OF For. MANUFACTURING THE SAME

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: February 24, 2005

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated November 1, 2004 for one month, from February 1, 2005, to March 1, 2005.

Attached please find a check in the amount of \$60.00 to cover the cost of the extension for a small entity. In the event that any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 01-2340.

Respectfully submitted,

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